IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ATLANTA DIVISION

DONNA CURLING, et al.,

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Plaintiffs, :

;

v. : CIVIL ACTION NO. : 1:17-CV-2989-AT

BRIAN P. KEMP, et al.,

:

Defendants. :

ORDER

The Court addresses various motions still pending in this matter:

- Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Serve Election Contest Defendants and Candidates by Certified Process Server [Doc. 3];
- Plaintiffs' Expedited Motion for Limited Early and Expedited
 Discovery [Doc. 4]; and
- The State Defendants' Motion to File a Brief in Excess of Twenty-Five Pages [Doc. 6].

The first motion was originally filed in state court and was then automatically filed in this Court when the case was removed on August 8, 2017. Plaintiffs sought leave to serve certain Defendants (against whom they were bringing election contest claims) and affected candidates by special process under state law. This motion is **DENIED** as **MOOT** [Doc. 3], as counsel for all

parties in this case have represented that all parties have been properly served,

and as Plaintiffs have filed a Second Amended Complaint deleting their election

contest claims.

In the second motion, Plaintiffs sought early and expedited discovery soon

after the case was removed because of the time-sensitive nature of their claims at

that point. Plaintiffs brought election contest claims regarding the June 2017

run-off special election results for Georgia's 6th Congressional District, and they

also sought a preliminary injunction regarding the upcoming November 2017

election cycle. Since then, Plaintiffs have filed a Second Amended Complaint

without either of those claims, thus removing the basis for this motion. This

motion is therefore **DENIED** as **MOOT** [Doc. 4].

In the third motion, the State Defendants sought leave for additional pages

in their initial motion to dismiss the Complaint. This motion is **DENIED** as

MOOT [Doc. 6], as Defendants' motion to dismiss was already mooted by

Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 22nd day of September, 2017.

Amy Totenberg

United States District Judge

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